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PATENT: **Mail Stop AF**  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 08702.0006-00

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of:	)	
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Michael Eppihimer, et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1644
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31**

Sir:

Applicants appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision mailed September 28, 2006.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1.  A Petition for extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on [Date] extending the period for response to [Date].
2.  A Petition for extension of time to further extend the period for response to [Date] is enclosed together with a fee of \$[Fee].
3.  The Appeal Fee of \$500.00  is enclosed or  is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.
4.  A pre-appeal brief conference is requested. The request and supporting documentation are attached.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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